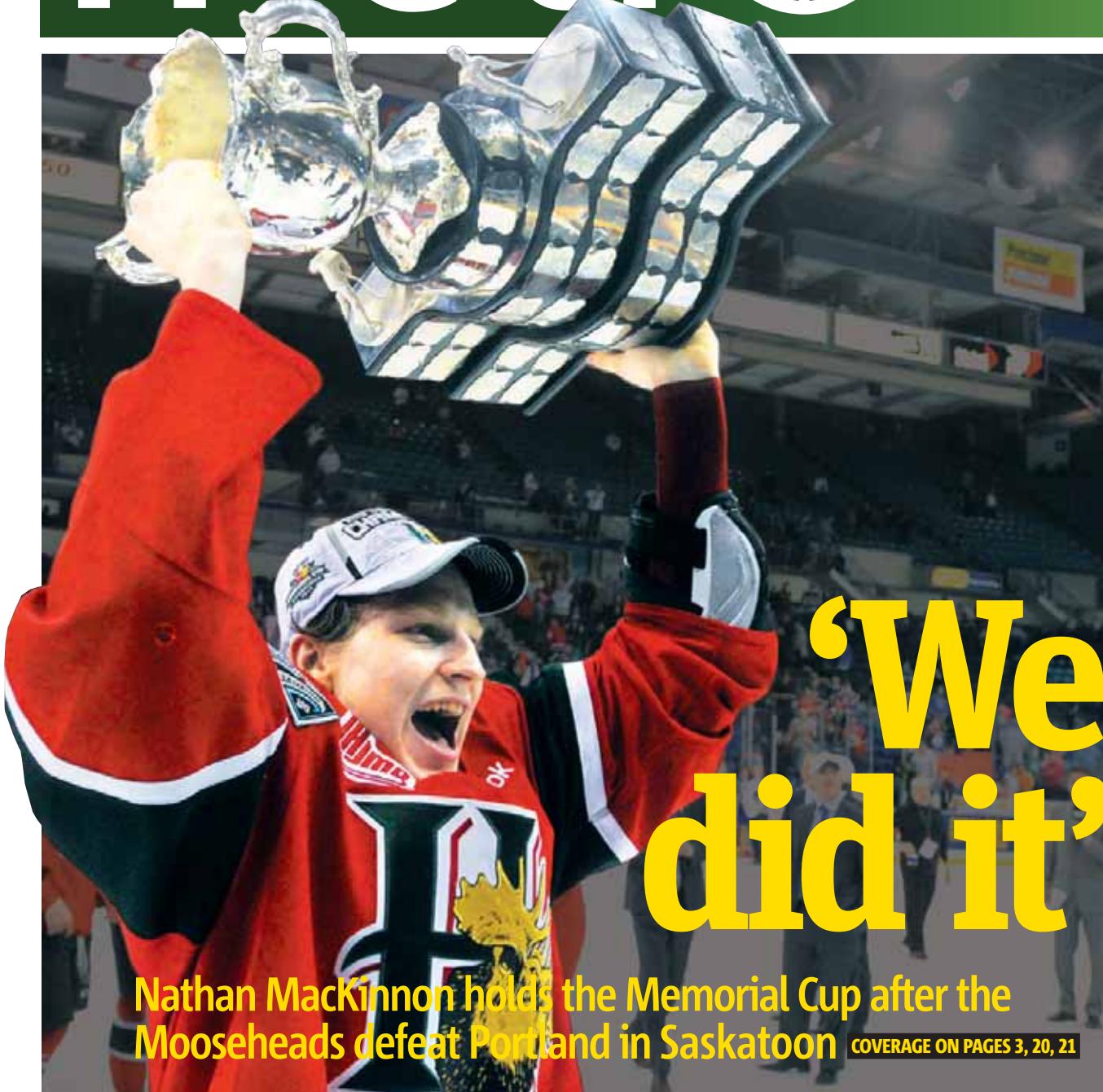


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'It's huge for all of us'

Halifax pride. Fans stand, sit, stress out, and eventually celebrate Mooseheads' first Memorial Cup win

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It was a battle the Halifax Mooseheads fought for tooth and nail — and their most devoted fans fought right along with them.

Hundreds of people came and went from the Grand Parade in Halifax Sunday night to watch the drama between the Herd and Portland Winterhawks in the Memorial Cup final — a drama narrated with anguished groans, frenzied cheers and, finally, victorious screams.

"Awesome!" hollered Hayleigh McQuade, 12, who watched most of the game wide-eyed and frozen in her chair.

"It feels really good," echoed a slightly calmer Cameron Slaunwhite, who celebrated his 11th birthday by watching his hero, Trey Lewis, celebrate Halifax's first CHL title.

Although Cameron dozed off for part of the game, his mother, Candace, was on her feet for most of it, cheering, biting her nails and eventually shedding tears of joy.

"It's huge for all of us," she said, admitting she came close to doubting the outcome once or twice.

Fans' nerves were sorely

Quoted

"It's amazing, it's history in the making."

Candace Cameron



Halifax Mooseheads fans celebrate at Grand Parade on Sunday night. JEFF HARPER/METRO

tested during the game, which saw the Winterhawks come within a goal — twice — before being staved off by a team gripped by an apparently unshakable determination to win.

The drama of the second period, coupled with chilling winds and sideways rain, prompted a mass exodus from the Grand Parade, but the true diehards stuck around to see the Mooseheads secure the victory in the third.

"One heck of a game, one heck of a game," said a jubilant and nearly wordless Jeff Coleman, letting the badly abused cowbell in his hand have a moment's rest.

Prior to the game, Mayor Mike Savage said the team should be an inspiration to

the entire city.

"Without overplaying it, it feeds into the optimism that exists in the city, that you can



True diehards stuck around at Grand Parade to see the Mooseheads secure the victory in the third. JEFF HARPER/METRO

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Strategy. It's economic development, stupid

One of HRM's standing committees is launching a significant exercise that the committee chair hopes will result in a more integrated and effective economic engine.

The community planning and economic development (CPED) committee will spend the next six months discussing fundamental questions around the issue in HRM to develop a more strategic approach.

"For two years we've been talking about (economic development) in the backrooms," said CPED chair Coun. Lorelei Nicoll. "Then our mayor (Mike Savage) got elected and economic development was important to him, so people started to listen."

The meetings are a response to the auditor general's recent report on economic development, which suggests the municipality suffers from a lack of cohesion and accountability.

A senior vice-president with the Halifax Chamber of Commerce says HRM is primed for a reset on economic strategy — and it seems to be starting already.

"There's a lot of attention to the areas that are important for our members ... commercial tax rates, development approval times and a general open-for-

Quoted

"We're all hearing people talking about being bold and doing things differently, so I think with that mantra, the end result should be different."

Coun. Lorelei Nicoll on overhauling HRM's economic-development strategy

business attitude," said Nancy Conrad.

Though "economic development" means different things to different people, Conrad says HRM needs to refine its policies.

"Just that general understanding that business is important to the community and what the contribution is," she said.

Nicoll says she wants better accountability for taxpayer dollars, more defined measurables and better co-operation between province and municipality — eventually.

"I'll just be happy to go from town-thinking to city-thinking before we go into being the hub of the Atlantic region," she said. "Small things first."

ANDREW RANKIN/METRO

Reserve Mines. Vehicle lands in brook, killing one

A young woman is dead after a vehicle left a dirt road and landed in a brook.

Police say officers were called to Lorway Street in Reserve Mines around 12:45 a.m. Saturday. They say a vehicle carrying three people had left

Chester Basin

Pair charged in gas-station break-in

Two men are facing charges following a violent break-in Friday morning at a gas station in Chester Basin.

Officers found a 30-year-old man inside the business who was being held by the person who reported the incident. The suspect was seriously injured.

He's facing charges including break-and-enter and mischief.

The 51-year-old man who called police has been charged with aggravated assault and assault with a weapon. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Highway 104

Driver caught going 161 km/h: Police

A Halifax man has been charged with stunt driving after police say they clocked a vehicle travelling 161 km/h over the weekend.

Around 5:30 p.m. Saturday, police say they were conducting a speed enforcement when a vehicle was going 61 km/h over the posted speed limit of 100 km/h on Highway 104 near Pictou County.

The 28-year-old driver was stopped and had his car seized. He has also lost his driver's licence for at least one week. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Animal welfare.

Kristin Williams makes 'tough' decision to step down with her organization thriving

The woman who's shepherded the provincial SPCA through a significant transformation in the last four years is calling it a day.

Executive director Kristin Williams will leave the society on June 6 to take over the helm of Junior Achievement Nova Scotia.

"It was tough, it was a very emotional decision for me. There have been a lot of tears."



One of the rescued cats. CONTRIBUTED

Quoted

"My true vision for the SPCA, and this might sound really strange, is that there's no longer a need for our work. I would like it for the next (executive director) to work herself out of a job."

Kristin Williams, outgoing executive director, Nova Scotia SPCA

said Williams, adding she's "thrilled" to be joining Junior Achievement.

Williams says the decision to leave was made easier by the organization's strong position, with an improved governance structure and new corporate fundraising strategies in place.

She says they're just two of some "mind-boggling" changes over the last four years: "Pro-

grams like ... our palliative-care foster program and our off-site adoption program, the first low-income, high-volume spay-neuter clinic in all of Nova Scotia, (and) government funding for the inspectorate."

Williams says she's offered to help the SPCA find her successor, adding it will be critical for that person to continue building on the society's recent

prosperity.

"I see another spay-neuter clinic in Cape Breton ... continued enhancements of our governance model and continued enhancement of our growth and capacity to help even more animals than we're helping now," she said.

She has a message for animal lovers, urging them to take action if they're unhappy about the state of animal welfare in Nova Scotia.

"The power of change is in the people's hands, and if they feel strongly about something, those feelings can be put forward very constructively to policy makers ... and we can make a difference," she said.

RUTH DAVENPORT/METRO

Cats in hoarding case rescued

Over 50 cats living in a one-bedroom apartment in Halifax in a case of animal hoarding have been taken from their owner.

The Disaster Animal Response Team of Nova Scotia says it helped remove a total of 51 cats after being contacted by the apartment landlord on Friday.

Catherine Stevens, communication director for DARTNS, says an elderly woman living in the apartment

co-operated as the cats — ranging from newborn kittens to adults — were removed.

"The cats were being fed and watered.... There are no cats abused," Stevens said.

"She thought she was doing a great job (caring for them), as most hoarders do. It's somebody trying to do a good thing, but it goes bad."

A temporary shelter has been set up in Halifax and volunteers from DARTNS are now

taking care of the cats. Stevens says after the SPCA examines the animals in the coming days, and they are spayed and neutered, they will be put up for adoption.

At the request of the landlord, DARTNS isn't releasing the location of where the animals were found.

Stevens says the case is a reminder for pet owners to have their animals spayed or neutered. PHILIP CROUCHER/METRO



Kristin Williams holds Casper the cat at the provincial shelter in this photo from February. JEFF HARPER/METRO

SPCA boss leaves on a high note



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CSIS kept quiet on spy to protect their own secrets

Jeffrey Delisle. The FBI, not Canada's spy agency, had to bring RCMP up to speed on espionage

Canada's spy agency clandestinely watched a navy officer pass top secret information to Russia for months without briefing the RCMP — a previously unknown operation that raises questions about whether Jeffrey Delisle could have been arrested sooner.

The Canadian Press has learned that the FBI alerted the Canadian Security Intelligence Service (CSIS) to Delisle's illicit dealings with Moscow well before the Mounties took on the file in December 2011 and later brought him into custody.

CSIS ultimately decided not to transfer its thick Delisle dossier to the RCMP. The spy agency, acting on legal advice, opted to keep its investigation sealed for fear of exposing a

Reactions

Intelligence historian Wesley Wark, who served as an expert witness at Delisle's sentencing, said it would be "scandalous" if the system did indeed break down.

- According to Delisle's lawyer, it also flags legal concerns about the government's obligation to disclose everything it knows about an accused.

trove of Canadian and U.S. secrets of the intelligence trade in open court proceedings.

In a bizarre twist, it fell to the FBI — not CSIS — to send a letter to the RCMP spelling out how a Canadian was pilfering extremely sensitive information, including highly classified U.S. material.

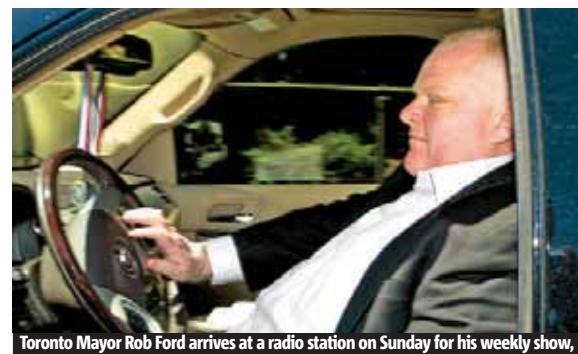
The RCMP had to start its own investigation of Delisle almost from scratch.

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Jeffrey Delisle pleaded guilty to violating the Security of Information Act and was sentenced to 20 years in prison in February. ANDREW VAUGHAN/THE CANADIAN PRESS

Ford brothers add smack talk to crack talk



Toronto Mayor Rob Ford arrives at a radio station on Sunday for his weekly show, along with his brother, Coun. Doug Ford. AARON VINCENT EKAIM/THE CANADIAN PRESS

Senate expense scandal

Ex-Mountie fears Tory control

A former RCMP superintendent says he's never seen the degree of political control over the Mounties that exists now, and says it "does not bode well" for a police investigation of the Senate expense scandal.

Garry Clement, a 30-year veteran of the force,

told CTV on Sunday that he knows the investigating officer involved in the Senate case has the "utmost credibility."

However, he also called out Public Safety Minister Vic Toews, saying, "Let's be honest, the direction that Mr. Toews as a minister, everything's got to go through him, in my mind does not bode well for objectivity."

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Post-traumatic stress

Soldiers seek solace at Vimy Ridge

A group of Canadian soldiers, struggling with post-traumatic stress, paid a visit to Vimy Ridge on Sunday, hoping the carnage could bring comfort.

Capt. Andrew Richardson says the journey to the site of the First World War engagement helps make sense of his time in Afghanistan.

suggested may have been influenced by higher political forces.

Ford's confidence was markedly different from the evasion seen ever since reports surfaced of a video that allegedly shows him smoking what appears to be crack cocaine.

"No matter what you say, I've found out, to the media, you're never going to make them happy," Rob Ford said on NewsTalk1010.

Ford — who has faced calls to step down in recent

All up from here

"Journalism in my opinion has sunk to an all-time low."

Toronto Coun. Doug Ford

days — added he plans to start campaigning for the next municipal election as soon as possible, saying, "I'll be the first one putting my name on that ballot."

The mayor's brother, Coun. Doug Ford, lashed out at critics

who've suggested his family has hurt the city's reputation.

Doug Ford found himself under scrutiny as well after a *Globe and Mail* article on Saturday claimed he dealt hashish for several years in the '80s — allegations he has denied.

"I never start a fight, but when someone comes up and punches you in the head 15 times, tries to attack your credibility, your character, try to go after your family's character ... I go swinging back," he said. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Resident evil

Man sleeping on bloodied ground at Magnotta's old flat

Tenants in a Montreal apartment block have made their home at the scene of one of Canada's most notorious slayings — the former abode of accused killer Luka Rocco Magnotta.

Superintendent Eric

Schorer lost tenants from around 10 units shortly after the incident. Magnotta's former home remained vacant for more than half a year.

He doesn't think the current tenant, whom he described as a foreigner, knows anything about its past.

"We don't advertise it, obviously," said Schorer, who has fully renovated the unit.

"The only problem ... is people who are afraid of ghosts." THE CANADIAN PRESS



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Britain. Killing suspect arrested in 2010 in Kenya

A suspect in the savage killing of a British soldier on a London street was arrested in Kenya in 2010 near the East African country's border with Somalia, an anti-terrorism police official said Sunday.

Michael Adebolajo was believed to have been preparing to train and fight with the al-Qaida-linked Somali militant group al-Shabab in 2010 when he was arrested with five others, Kenya's anti-terrorism police unit head Boniface Mwaniki told The Associated Press.

Mwaniki said that the suspect was then deported. However, Kenya's government spokesman said he was arrested under a different name and handed to U.K. authorities.

"Kenya's government arrested Michael Olemendis Ndemolajo. We handed him to

British security agents in Kenya and he seems to have found his way to London and mutated to Michael Adebolajo," spokesman Muthui Kariuki said. "The Kenyan government cannot be held responsible for what happened to him after we handed him to British authorities."

Kariuki said Adebolajo was travelling on a British passport, but he could not confirm if it was authentic.

British soldier Lee Rigby, 25, was run over and stabbed in the Woolwich area in southeast London on Wednesday afternoon as he was walking near his barracks.

Adebolajo, 28, and Michael Adebowale, 22, are suspected in the killing and remained under armed guard in separate London hospitals after police shot them at the scene.

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France

Cops hunting for man who stabbed soldier in throat

French anti-terrorism investigators were searching Sunday for a man who stabbed a soldier in the throat in the commercial district of La Defence outside Paris.

The 23-year-old soldier, Cedric Cordier, was in uniform patrolling the busy underground corridors beneath the famous Arch of La Defence.

Saturday's stabbing

came days after a British soldier was hacked to death on a London street in a suspected terrorist attack that has raised fears of potential copycat strikes. However, there was no immediate confirmation of any link between the two attacks.

Cordier remained hospitalized Sunday but officials said his throat wound wasn't life-threatening.

Speaking shortly after the attack, French President Francois Hollande said that while "all hypotheses" will be investigated, there didn't appear to be a link with the attack in London.

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Obama visits Okla. tornado victims

Consolation. President offers federal support in rebuilding efforts

U.S. President Barack Obama flew to tornado-ravaged Oklahoma Sunday, offering moral and monetary support to people still reeling from lost lives and shattered neighbourhoods. He told survivors, "You've got folks behind you."

Standing with Oklahoma Gov. Mary Fallin and other state and federal officials amid the devastation wrought by the monstrous tornado, Obama said, "A picture's worth a thousand words." He said the rebuilding job will be enormous and "we're going to be with you all the way."

"Our hearts go out to you," Obama said, noting the loss of life and some 1,200 homes. He urged the American people to

pitch in and help, saying that in instances such as this, the president serves as a "messenger" for all citizens, bringing words of condolence, promises of government assistance and pleas for private contributions.

Twenty-four people, including 10 children, died when the tornado hit last Monday.

The extraordinarily powerful twister was known as an EF5, ranking it at the top of the enhanced Fujita scale used to

measure tornado strength.

Obama rode past fields strewn with scattered debris, witnessing devastation so awesome it appeared as if garbage had rained from the sky. His first stop was the demolished site of the Plaza Towers Elementary School, where seven students were killed when the tornado turned the building into a heap of bricks, broken concrete and twisted metal.

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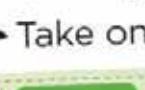


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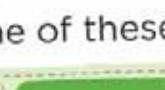
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Myth of the maple moola: Dozens ask BoC if new bills have syrup scent

Scratch 'n' sniff secret?
Correspondence shows Canadians contacted central bank to inquire whether polymer notes have a whiff of érable

The penny may be history, but some Canadians suspect the Bank of Canada has been circulating a new scent along with its plastic bank notes.

Dozens of people who contacted the bank in the months after the polymer notes first appeared asked about a secret scratch-and-sniff patch that apparently smells like maple syrup.

"I would like to know ... once and for all if these bills are in fact scented, as I do detect a hint of maple when smelling the bill," says a typical email from a perplexed citizen.



Good enough to eat with pancakes? Finance Minister Jim Flaherty holds a new polymer \$100 bill in this 2011 file photo. Rumours about maple-scented bills began soon after the \$100 note, which was the first of the plastic banknotes to be introduced, began circulating in late 2011. Now, correspondence shows many Canadians have gone to the trouble of contacting the Bank of Canada to ask if the rumours are true. THE CANADIAN PRESS FILE

Said another: "They all have a scent which I'd say smells like maple? Please advise if this is normal?"

Under the Access to Information Act, The Canadian

Press obtained a year's worth of correspondence to the Bank of Canada from ordinary Canadians about the new currency. Names were withheld to protect privacy.

For the record, bank official Jeremy Harrison says no scent has been added to any of the new bank notes.

The maple mystery was born soon after the first poly-

mer note — the \$100 bill — was released in November 2011, and has persisted in cyberspace on YouTube videos, blogs and tweets.

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Folks who need hobbies

Help! My money lost its smell

A few people were so convinced about the fragrant funds that they actually complained to bank officials that some of their new plastic notes were odour-free. "The note ... lost its maple smell," said one writer. "I strongly suggest the Bank increases the strength of the ... maple smell."

Another cited an alleged scratch-and-sniff area on the new \$100 bank note: "I could smell the scent once but not all the time. ... I bet a couple friends and cannot find proof, is it just me?" THE CANADIAN PRESS

Abidjan. Ivory Coast techies elect web mayor

A 22-year-old who lives with his parents is the new mayor of Ivory Coast's largest city, Abidjan — at least according to the West African nation's active community of self-described Internet geeks.

Abidjan's budding network of bloggers, strategists, designers and web entrepreneurs organized a separate vote for web mayor in late April, days after Ivorians went to the polls for local elections.

Emmanuel Assouan was crowned leader for a group that

in recent years has dreamed up creative ways to aid the city's population of roughly four million people and draw attention to government shortcomings in areas like traffic congestion and power supply, said Amevi Midekor, who helped organize the vote.

Assouan took the oath of office on Friday night. As he placed his right hand on a gleaming white iPad, he vowed to foster an online community that was "healthy, safe and rich in content." THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Jerusalem. Electric-car firm goes to a Better Place

Israel's trailblazing electric-car company Better Place says it has reached the end of the road.

The company announced Sunday that it was filing for liquidation, marking a stunning end to an ambitious plan aimed at revolutionizing the auto industry by reducing the world's dependency on oil.

Perhaps Israel's best-known clean-tech firm, Better Place was developing a nationwide network of charging and battery-swapping stations. But the

company experienced repeated delays in getting off the ground and experienced weak demand for its cars after burning through millions of dollars.

The announcement comes less than eight months after company founder Shai Agassi was forced out.

The project won the support of President Shimon Peres, received financial incentives from the Israeli government and made Agassi a dynamic celebrity CEO.

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STEPHEN, YOU SNEAKY SON OF A GUN

Dear Stephen Harper,

Congratulations! I never imagined in my wildest imaginings even you could be quite this Machiavellian.

Appointing Mike Duffy, the longtime pretend senator from CTV, an actual senator from Prince Edward Island? Genius.

Pamela Wallin, the queen of political TV, senator for Air Canada? You had to know. You did, didn't you?

Some may suggest adding to the upper chamber the likes of Patrick Brazeau (pony-tailed pugilist wannabe, alleged sexual assaulter and expense cheat) and Pierre Hughes Boisvenu ("victims" rights advocate who still lists his ex-wife's Quebec home as his primary residence to collect his Senate housing allowance while hiring his girlfriend as his communications officer) was gilding the lily.

But I know you can never be too careful—not when the stakes are this high.

As you told your caucus last week, you "did not get into politics



URBAN COMPASS
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to defend the Senate."

Some commentators suggested you just wanted to divert attention from the scandal and the role your top aide played in escalating it with his \$90,000 petty-cash cheque. But we know better.

Those otherwise inexplicable appointments, their entitled-to-my-entitlements defence of the indefensible, their later attempts to obfuscate, cover up and shut up, even that cheque you didn't know anything about, are all puzzle pieces in your master plan—to finally, once and forever, abolish the Senate.

That must be it. Otherwise...

I have watched the subtle evolution of your thinking.

From triple-E reformer to closet abolitionist. After the then-Liberal-dominated Senate blocked your plans to actually change the Senate back in 2006, you travelled to Canberra, Australia, to muse aloud it must either change or, "like the old upper houses of our provinces, vanish."

Well played, Harper, well played

It's working, Stephen. Your awful appointees have made the Senate so disreputable Canadians will soon force their politicians to find a way to get rid of it.

Your officials helpfully noted this was the first time a Canadian prime minister had suggested—albeit far from home—abolition.

More recently, you stealthily included abolition as one of the options you asked the Supreme Court to consider.

It's working, Stephen.

Your awful appointees have made the Senate so disreputable Canadians will soon force their politicians to find a way to get rid of it.

That's not to suggest a few more awful appointments wouldn't help the cause. As always, I'm willing to do my bit. You can reach me at ...

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ANDREW FIFIELD

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I have yet to invest any money into a Kickstarter campaign, but after learning about some of the great board games that began as crowd-funded success stories, I know where I'm going to start looking. Here are three I'm keeping an eye on.



Euphoria: Build a Better Dystopia

A European-style strategy game based around resource collection and worker management that is already getting glowing advance reviews. The creators have a previous hit with Viticulture, so if you're into that game or similar ones like Catan and Cuba, this is definitely one you should check out.

Xia: Legends of a Drift System

A sandbox-style space exploration and combat game that is almost absurdly

ambitious. The cost of entry is a little steep at \$105, but the beautiful design (complete with spaceship miniatures) and play-how-you-want strategy options make jumping in on this campaign very desirable.

Scalawag!

A card game that puts you in command of a warship tasked with bluffing your way to wiping out rival players, this casual game doesn't seem nearly as intimidating as the two above. A \$20 contribution gets you a limited edition of the game, and I'm pretty tempted to chip in.

Comments

RE: Decoding Canada's Ongoing 'Skills Crisis,' published online May 25

Look up the skilled labour jobs available — businesses want three to five years experience or more. Did these businesses bother to hire and train staff when the economy was slow? Nope. Businesses are used to the baby boomers being there with all the experience at their fingertips. Nice while it lasted. Someone took a chance on the BBer's 40+ years ago, now step up

and train our young Canadians. **ve6 posted to metronews.ca**

As a Generation Jones, second-cohort baby boomer myself, I say this whole so-called skills-shortage issue is a fallacy. Jobs were no easier to find when I was an 18-year-old so why the problem now? Most of the uneducated find it too convenient to blame the boomers for their economic ills without fully understanding the fact that skills education is the key. **catpassgas posted to metronews.ca**

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ZOOM

Do you know if your food is kosher?



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Certification makes its mark in the mainstream

Rabbi Pinchas Herman inspects machinery used for enzyme production for kosher products at Novozymes North America Inc., in Franklinton, N.C. The inspection is an

example of how the centuries-old dietary code of observant Jews is adapting to its role as a mark of quality in the global food and drinks industry.

Albany Law School professor Timothy Lytton says some consumers like knowing that someone is performing additional checks now that food is a complex global enterprise. **METRO**

Guidelines

Kosher describes foods that meet dietary laws based on the Old Testament.

- Pork and shellfish aren't allowed, but cattle and finned fish are. Blood must be drawn out of meat before it's eaten. Meat and milk can't be mixed.

Industry size

\$15.3B

U.S. sales of kosher prepared foods, meat, fish and dairy topped \$12.5 billion in 2008, according to market-research firm Mintel. That was projected to grow this year to about \$15.3 billion as more and more existing products join Oreo cookies and Tootsie Rolls in becoming certified, the firm said.



Sometimes the answer to business success is a question...

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With back-to-back pop hits Lovato is now radio ready

Fourth album, Demi.
The X-Factor judge and talented songstress is making strides in mainstream pop and shaking her Disney tag

Before achieving back-to-back radio hits with Give Your Heart a Break and Heart Attack, Demi Lovato wondered why she had yet to find her breakthrough on the radio.

She knew she had a big voice, and had found success as a Disney Channel star, but something was off.

"I had a moment where I was just like, 'What am I doing wrong? I know I can sing. I know I'm talented. How is it that other artists who don't have my vocals ... (are) on the radio? What's taking so long?'" she said in a recent interview. "And I realized, 'Oh, it's hit songs. You need hit songs.'"

So, Lovato went into the studio and recorded songs crafted perfectly for Top 40 radio. Demi, her fourth album, debuted at No. 3 on the Billboard 200 albums chart this week. It features upbeat, radio-friendly dance numbers and pop ballads about love and relationships.

"We didn't want to put a song on there that was an album filler, so we don't have any songs on there that couldn't be potential singles," the 20-year-old Lovato said of Demi, which features producers and songwriters like Ryan Tedder (Adele, Beyoncé), Priscilla Re-

nea (Rihanna, Selena Gomez, Madonna), and Carl Falk, Rami Yacoub and Savan Kotecha, the trio behind hits for One Direction. (Falk and Yacoub co-produced Nicki Minaj's Starships and Kotecha co-wrote Maroon 5's One More Night and Justin Bieber's Beauty and a Beat.)

Lovato got her first real hint of radio love when Give Your Heart a Break became a hit last year as she was appearing as a judge on the Fox network's The X Factor. The song was from her 2011 album, Unbroken, released months after she left rehab for an eating disorder, self-mutilation and other issues. Though she had a Top 10 hit with Skyscraper, the first single, Give Your Heart a Break, became her breakthrough, selling 1.9 million tracks.

"It was kind of like her coming-out party as a singer," said Sharon Dastur, program director for New York City's pop radio station Z100.

Lovato quickly went into the studio to record her new album, releasing the in-your-face pop jam Heart Attack, which is platinum and has so far peaked at No. 10 on the Hot 100.

"I think there's going to be a lot of radio singles, a lot of hits," said Dastur, naming songs like Without the Love, Neon Lights and Really Don't Care as potential smashes. "And I almost think (the ballad) Warrior could be like a Grammy-nominated song. It's that powerful."

Lovato, who co-wrote most of the songs, said she looked to Kelly Clarkson as inspiration when creating the album.

"A lot of the power vocalists ... they get the respect, but they

It's a hit!

"It was kind of like her coming-out party as a singer."

Sharon Dastur, NYC radio station Z100's program director. On what Unbroken represented for Demi Lovato as an album

don't get the recognition with hit songs that they deserve to have, and a lot of pop artists are very talented, but they don't have the vocal capability to really carry on those power ballads," she said. "(Kelly) has that ability to wow you and also get the sound stuck in your head."

Lovato, who starred in the Disney Channel movie Camp Rock and the TV series Sonny With a Chance, said becoming a radio artist has been a top goal.

"All I've ever wanted was my music to be heard and for people to enjoy it," she said.

Her 2008 studio album debut, Don't Forget, achieved gold status. Her albums that followed — 2009's Here We Go Again and 2011's Unbroken — have sold 487,000 and 459,000 units, according to Nielsen SoundScan.

Lovato said releasing Unbroken was a learning process because the album didn't represent her true self.

"I had just come out of rehab ... and I was trying to figure out who I was," she said. "Sometimes I can confuse what I like listening to with what I am, and I think that's what I did on that album. I was listening to a lot of R&B stuff that



Demi Lovato doing what she does best. AP PHOTO

was on the radio and instead of creating my own style, I kind of subconsciously fell into creating someone else's album, and therefore when you hear it, it didn't make a lot of sense."

Dastur said being on The X Factor has helped Lovato step out of the Disney persona that has trapped others. Lovato, too, is thankful for what the show has done for her career.

"It doesn't hurt when

you're releasing music and you're in millions of people's homes every week — twice a week," said Lovato, who will be joined by Kelly Rowland and Paulina Rubio when the singing competition series returns in the fall. "X Factor has helped me make that transition from being the Disney pop singer ... to the mainstream world."

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Training don'ts



IT'S ALL RELATIVE
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"Oh, just give me that. It's easier if I do it myself." Ack.

Don't ever say these words to a child (or a trainable husband) when they are mid-task.

One of the worst things we can do as managers in our own

family is to do the job ourselves instead of training the employee/child to do the job correctly. In corporate speak, this is called "dipping down" or "micromanaging." If we micromanage our kids, the end result is that: we end up doing everything ourselves while they play video games and eat pizza and b: they don't know how to complete basic household tasks and are ultimately destined to live out their adult lives in our basement,

since they'll be too incompetent to hold down a job.

Corporate managers are expected to mentor and encourage growth. Micromanaging is the exact opposite of mentoring, and eventually even the lamest employee will start to resent her manager dipping down and doing the work she is supposed to be doing. While a child might not actively complain about Mom making his lunch when he's 15, he should. The lack of

training by Helicopter Parents today is ridiculous. Not only does it cause undue work for the parents, it prevents the child from learning to do the tasks themselves. If you are reading this section while cutting up your six-year-old's chicken, please stop. Do both of you a favour. **FROM I AM SO THE BOSS OF YOU.** COPYRIGHT © 2013 KATHY BUCKWORTH. PUBLISHED BY MCCLELLAND & STEWART, A DIVISION OF RANDOM HOUSE OF CANADA LIMITED. ALL RIGHTS RESERVED.

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Tinkle time goes high-tech

Potty seats. They flush, they sing, they look like thrones to make it easier for tots and hopeful parents

For some hopeful parents, summertime is "tinkle time," as in setting toddlers diaperless while potty training. And like many aspects of life with kids, potty training means gear.

The choices in potty seats and chairs proliferated and sprouted all manner of bells and whistles.

Many convert like Transformers to serve multiple functions. One has a voice recorder to add a personal message ("Go Jacob!"). Others belt out happy tunes, have cubbies to stash wipes and books, sport their own toilet paper holders, simulate flushing, look like mininurinals and are decked out as fancy thrones.

So who's it all for, parents or little doers trying to figure out Nos. 1 and 2? Whether you decide on "elimination communication," where infants go without diapers earlier than the norm, take a cold-turkey boot



Potty seats are being designed to entertain. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS/ SAFETY 1ST

camp approach or have a late and reluctant bloomer on your hands, chances are a cheery potty seat is in your future.

"People talk about potty training more. Before it was something you just got through, you know. You just did it," said Angie Peterson, marketing director for Levels of Discovery, a company that puts out painted wood potty thrones for up to \$83 a pop.

Heidi Murkoff, however, who wrote the pregnancy bible *What to Expect When You're Expecting* isn't a huge believer

in busy potty chairs.

"Bells and whistles, and musical potty seats, are never necessary. Clearly babies have mastered potty proficiency for generations without them," she said. "They just make the process more fun. But the bottom line: What kind of seat you put that cute little bottom on matters far less than how ready your toddler is to start potty training."

In any case, take your tot shopping with you for a potty to build excitement, Murkoff said. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

Choices, choices



Ducky Fun 3-in-1 Potty training chair. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS/FISHER PRICE



The Boon Potty Bench with side storage spaces for books, training supplies and wipes. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS/BOON



The Magic Garden Potty Chair. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS/TEAMSON



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Egging it on in delicious ways



This recipe makes enough for two or three sandwiches. EGG FARMERS OF ONTARIO

A Classic Egg Salad Sandwich hits the spot on many occasions, but it's even better with a few added ingredients.

You can also rethink your traditional Egg Salad Sandwich and use the recipes as dips with crackers or sliced pita bread.

1. Place eggs in saucepan and fill with cold water to cover. Bring to a boil over medium high heat. Cover, remove from heat and let stand for 15 to 20 minutes. Drain and run under cold water until chilled. Refrigerate for at least 2 hours or up to 7 days.

2. Place peeled, hard cooked eggs in a bowl and using a fork or potato masher, mash eggs until finely chopped.

3. Stir in yogurt, mayonnaise, Dijon mustard, salt and pepper until smooth. Add celery and green onion (if using) and stir to combine.

4. Spread over your favourite bread, stuff into pita halves or scoop some onto your favourite salad greens.

Ingredients

- 4 eggs
- 2 tbsp (30 ml) plain non-fat yogurt
- 2 tbsp (30 ml) light mayo
- 1 tsp (5 ml) Dijon mustard
- 1/4 tsp (1 ml) salt
- 1/4 tsp (1 ml) black pepper
- 1/4 cup (60 ml) celery, diced
- 1 green onion, chopped (optional)

Salmon Dill

Omit green onion. Add 1/4 cup (60 ml) smoked salmon, finely chopped, 1 tbsp (15 ml) fresh dill, chopped, and 2 tsp (10 ml) capers, chopped.

Pickle Bacon

Omit celery. Add 1 small dill pickle, diced, 2 strips of bacon, cooked and chopped, and 1 tsp (5 ml) horseradish (or more if desired).

Chili Avocado

Omit celery and green onion. Add half of avocado, diced, 1 tbsp (15 ml) red onion, minced, 1/2 tsp (2 ml) chili powder. EGG FARMERS OF ONTARIO

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Carbonara Pasta Salad

1. Bring saucepan of salted water to boil. Add pasta and cook according to package directions. Drain; spread on rimmed baking sheet to cool.

Ingredients

- 16 oz gemelli or rotini pasta
- 9 oz finely chopped pancetta
- 1 cup fresh peas
- 3 egg yolks
- 3 cloves garlic, minced
- 1 tbsp Dijon mustard
- 2 tbsp white balsamic vinegar
- 1/2 tbsp lemon juice
- 1/2 cup mild olive oil
- Salt and ground black pepper
- 1 cup grated Parmesan cheese
- 3 scallions, thinly sliced

2. Meanwhile, heat medium skillet over medium-high heat. Add pancetta and cook until crispy, about 6 minutes. Use slotted spoon to transfer pancetta to paper towel-lined plate

to drain and cool. Add peas to skillet and cook just until tender, 3 to 4 minutes. Transfer to plate with pancetta and allow to cool.

3. While everything cools, make dressing. In blender, combine egg yolks, garlic, mustard, vinegar and lemon juice. In

slow stream, add oil, blending until thick and smooth. Season with salt and pepper.

4. In a large bowl, combine the cooled pasta, pancetta, peas, dressing, Parmesan and scallions. Toss well. For best flavour, cover and refrigerate for at least 1 hour. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS



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Equivalent

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Funding platform drawing crowds

Throw some pennies at that project.

Crowdfunding has come into the spotlight of late, due to a certain mayor and his uncertain habits. As the money pours in to solve the videotape mystery, we take a look at some groups who made (arguably) better use of this business booster

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When Christian Catalini first started studying crowdfunding in 2008, no one seemed to care.

"For a long time, it didn't receive a lot of attention. It was developing on the fringe," said Catalini, a PhD candidate at the University of Toronto's Rotman School of Management.

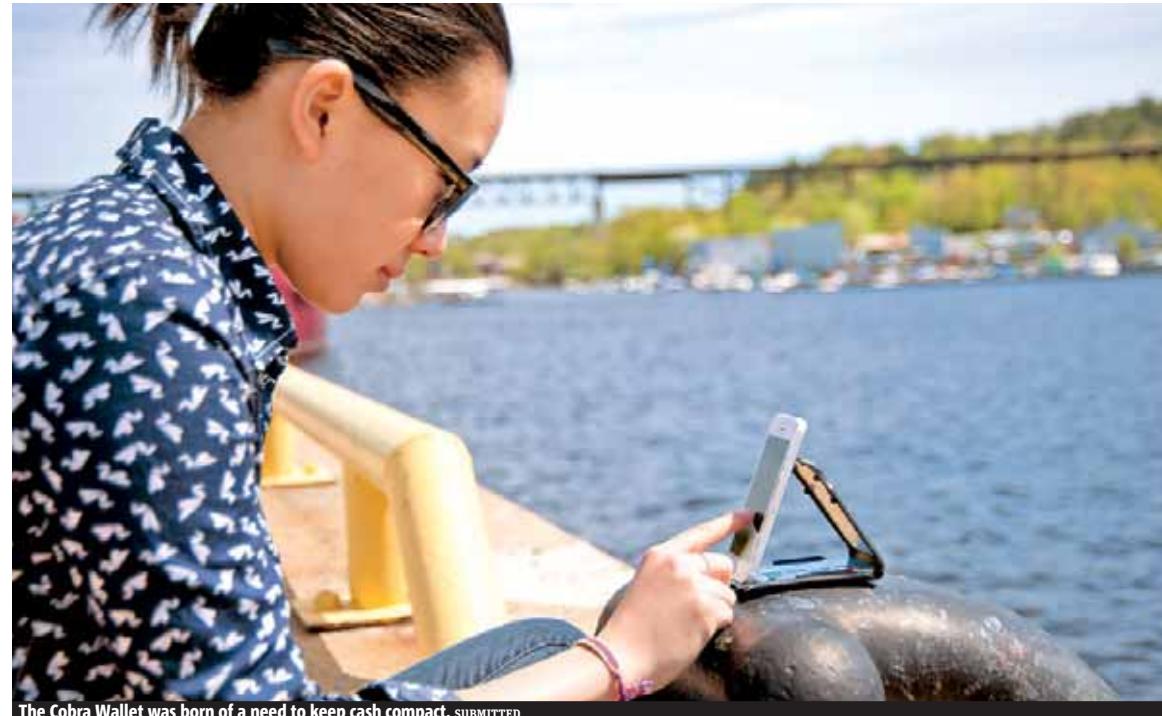
The first crowdfunding effort that caught Catalini's attention was a small organization out of Amsterdam meant to help the music industry there. Since then, crowdfunding has slowly exploded. According to Kickstarter, more than 2.2 million people pledged more than \$319 million on the site, which funded 18,109 projects in 2012.

"The advantage of crowdfunding is it lowers the cost of capital. If you don't have a reputation, you can go online and create a profile," Catalini said.

Not all crowdfunding projects are successful, but the following were. Here's why:

Ubi
Kickstarter goal: \$36,000
Funds raised: \$229,500

Ubi, short for ubiquitous



The Cobra Wallet was born of a need to keep cash compact. SUBMITTED

Did you submit? Don't sit!

Don't just assume that if you build it they will come. Crowdfunding takes a lot of work.

Ariel Garten
Interaxon Media

computer, is a voice-activated, portable computer that plugs into the wall and can answer questions, send emails and make phone calls.

"We wanted to do two things," said Leor Grebler, one of Ubi's creators. "One was to see if there was a market for what we were developing and the second thing was to actually be able to raise the money to develop it."

According to Grebler, to succeed on Kickstarter, a product needs to be unique. The creators should also do their research and avoid getting cocky.



Amin Abdossalam, Mahyar Fotoohi and Leor Grebler of team Ubi. SUBMITTED

"Don't assume people are just going to back your project," Grebler said, adding that his team reached out to social media and regular media to get

the word out. Also, Grebler suggests keeping the goal low, especially on Kickstarter, where the project only gets funded if it reaches its goal.

Cobra Wallet
Kickstarter goal: \$30,000.
Funds raised: \$51,128.

This ultra-thin wallet was born out of a desperate



The Muse headband invites users to see their brain in action.

search for a comfortable place to put cards and cash.

Alex Kennberg, who created the project with Joshua Moore, suggests having a prototype before looking for cash.

"If people see only renderings, a lot of things can go wrong. The further you can get (to the final product), the less risk there is for backers," he said.

And, of course, make a solid video with a clear message.

Muse
Indiegogo goal: \$150,000.
Funds raised: \$287,000.

Muse, made by Interaxon, is a brain-sensing headband that allows users to monitor brain activity. It could lead to controlling apps or games with our minds.

"Funding is not easy," said Ariel Garten of Interaxon.

"Don't just assume that if you build it they will come. Crowdfunding takes a lot of work," she said, adding that projects that do well are often "things that people can see using themselves."

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- Be cautious. If something seems too good to be true, it likely is. An honest business will not ask for large amounts of money upfront, so don't do it.
- Do your research. Look into a product or service before you decide.
- Take your time. An honest business will not force you into a purchase decision on the spot.
- Keep your information secret. Don't disclose any personal information.
- Keep your records safe. Put important documents in a secure place. — *News Canada*



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PLAN AHEAD FOR GOLDEN YEARS

Aging in place — the opportunity to grow old in the comfort of our own homes and surroundings — is something that we all hope for ourselves. It's also something that everyone should be thinking about before we reach our retirement years, says Nova Scotia Home Builders' Association CEO Paul Pettipas.

Finding that you or your spouse needs the help of a walker somewhere down the road can be a simple transition if your house is already barrier free, Pettipas says.

"Preparing a home for aging in place doesn't have to be an expensive proposition. It's a matter of doing your homework, knowing what's available and planning ahead."

That can mean something as simple as making sure the doors in the house are three feet wide to accommodate a wheelchair, walker or other mobility device sometime in the future.

"You have to follow that inside as well," Pettipas says. "It doesn't make sense to have a three-foot wide entrance door and two-foot-six doors inside."

Other considerations when building or renovating include installing blocking in showers in case grab bars need to be installed, and making sure windows and thermostats are accessible and easy to operate. Non-slip surfaces and soft wiring for future emergency systems are also an inexpensive idea.

"If your home is a two storey, think about leaving a room that can easily

be converted into a bedroom down the road," Pettipas says. "A picture window won't do for a room like that. You need some kind of egress in case of a fire."

Turning a closet into an elevator is also a consideration.

Pettipas says aging in place is something that most boomer-aged home-builders take into account.

"It makes sense if they are planning on staying in the house for a long time, but it's also a good idea from a resale point of view. They might never need the features themselves, but with our aging demographic it definitely makes the home more saleable."

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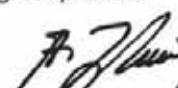
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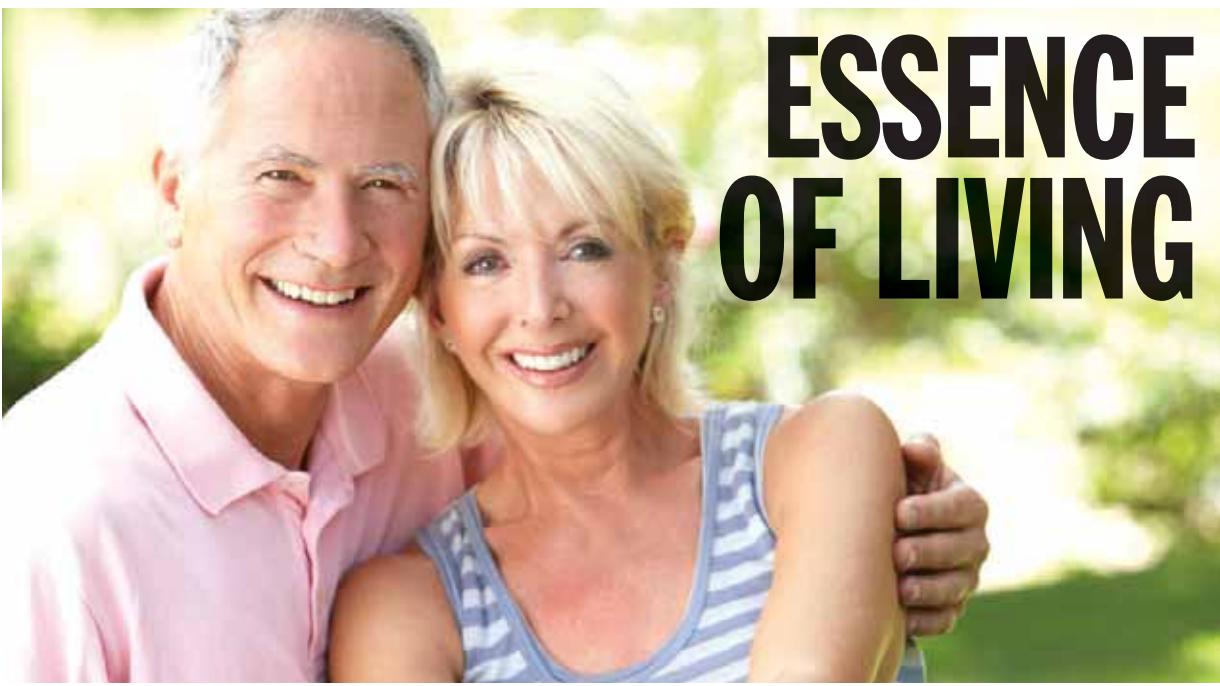
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What's in a name? For Arbor Vitalia, the name perfectly sums up the nature of Halifax's exciting new rental development — "arbor," a word that describes a shady, pastoral resting place, contrasted with "vitalia" (vitality), the essence of living.

"Arbor Vitalia Courtyard is a country retreat in an urban setting," says Yianni Paliatsos, developer and manager of Arbor Vitalia Courtyard.

Located in Washmill Lake Drive, just a short walk from the heart of Halif-

fax's Mainland Common, Arbor Vitalia Courtyard is a semi-gated community that strives to be the best of all worlds.

"It's an ideal home for the retired and semi-retired, but it really is designed to appeal to all ages," Paliatsos says. "The

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Halifax caps off dream season with Memorial Cup triumph

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The Halifax Mooseheads' dream season is complete.

The Mooseheads withstood a second-period attack and another one late in the game to beat the Portland Winterhawks and earn their first ever Memorial Cup before 11,448 fans at the Credit Union Centre on Sunday night.

"It hasn't sunk in," said an elated Nathan MacKinnon, who finished the night with a hat trick and five points as well as tournament MVP honours.

"There's nothing left to play for. We did it. I wish I could go to the worlds with these guys."

His linemate Jonathan Drouin, who also finished with five points, was beside himself with emotion after the victory.

"I had a really great game but so did my teammates," he said. "We needed to come up big and we did. It just feels so great right now."

But the title didn't come easy.

Facing a three-goal deficit going into the middle frame, the Winterhawks proved why they're the Western Hockey League champions



Jonathan Drouin and Nathan MacKinnon celebrate Konrad Abeltshauser's first-period goal against the Winterhawks on Sunday. LIAM RICHARDS/THE CANADIAN PRESS

with a resilient two-goal middle period, to make it 3-2 heading into the final frame.

But the Mooseheads dug deep in the final 20 minutes. Appropriately, MacKinnon, the Memorial Cup's leading scorer, came through for the Mooseheads again, giving the Herd a two-goal cushion 7:36 into the final frame. Defenceman Konrad Abeltshauser added his second

tally of the night about four minutes later to give Halifax even more breathing room.

Portland's Brendan Leipsic scored with 5:28 left in regulation to make it 5-3, however, then Ty Rattie found the back of the net with just over a minute left to make it a one-goal game again.

But with the Portland net empty, MacKinnon scored

with 22.4 seconds left and the celebration was on.

When the final seconds ticked off the clock, the team leaped onto goaltender Zach Fucale in front of the Halifax net.

"This is my greatest achievement and I think it is for everyone here," Mooseheads head coach Dominique Ducharme said during the on-ice celebration.

Championship game

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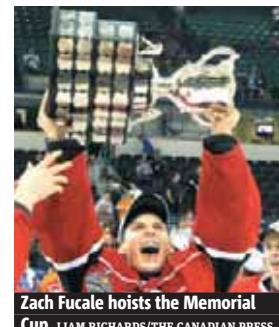
Mooseheads Winterhawks

'I wish she was here'

MacAulay dedicates title to mom

Boasting a record four regular-season titles, three President Cups and two Memorial Cup wins, Halifax Mooseheads forward Stephen MacAulay dedicated his latest to his mother Jean who passed away last March.

"I wish she was here," he said. "I love her and I know she is here with me." **ANDREW RANKIN/METRO**



Zach Fucale hoists the Memorial Cup. LIAM RICHARDS/THE CANADIAN PRESS

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Jonathan Drouin can add Canadian Hockey League Player of the Year to his list of accolades this season.

The Mooseheads forward beat out Plymouth Whalers' Vince Trocheck and Adam Lowry of the Swift Current Broncos to win the coveted trophy at the CHL awards ceremony on Saturday afternoon in Saskatoon.

"I'm really proud of what I did this year," said Drouin.

The 18-year-old is the first player to win the award in his first draft-eligible year since Sidney Crosby accomplished the feat in 2005 with the Rimouski Oceanic.

Drouin's 105 points in just 49 regular-season games

Other award winners

Top Prospect of the Year: Seth Jones (Portland Winterhawks)

Sportsman of the Year: Tyler Graovac (Belleville Bulls)

Top Scorer of the Year: Brendan Leipsic and Nicolas Petan (Portland Winterhawks)

Humanitarian of the Year: Ben Fanelli (Kitchener Rangers)

Scholastic Player of the Year: Josh Morrissey (Prince Albert Raiders)

Rookie of the Year: Valentin Zykov (Baie-Comeau Drakkar)

Goaltender of the Year: Patrik Bartosak (Red Deer Rebels)

Defenceman of the Year: Ryan Sproul (Sault Ste. Marie Greyhounds)

helped earn him the QMJHL's Most Valuable Player trophy and the Michael Bossy Trophy as the league's best professional prospect in April. He also won the Paul Dumont Trophy as the league's personality of the year.

"My expectations weren't that high," said Drouin.

"I've won a lot of trophies this year and it's been a great year and my teammates deserve a lot of credit, as well as the coaching staff and our GM."

Mooseheads head coach Dominique Ducharme won the Brian Killrea Coach of the Year title after guiding the Herd to a CHL-best 58-win season. He was also named the QMJHL coach of the year in April.

"I'm representing the team, starting with our players who come in every day and are really focused and have a mindset to get better and that makes it easy to work with them," said Ducharme.



Jonathan Drouin poses with the CHL Player of the Year trophy on Saturday afternoon in Saskatoon. ANDREW RANKIN/METRO

Recent Memorial Cup winners

2012-13 - Halifax Mooseheads

2011-12 - Shawinigan Cataractes

2010-11 - Saint John Sea Dogs

2009-10 - Windsor Spitfires

2008-09 - Windsor Spitfires

2007-08 - Spokane Chiefs

2006-07 - Vancouver Giants

2005-06 - Quebec Remparts

2004-05 - London Knights

2003-04 - Kelowna Rockets

2002-03 - Kitchener Rangers

2001-02 - Kootenay Ice

2000-01 - Red Deer Rebels

1999-2000 - Rimouski Oceanic

1998-99 - Ottawa 67's

1997-98 - Portland Winterhawks

1996-97 - Hull Olympiques

1995-96 - Granby Predators

1994-95 - Kamloops Blazers

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1992-93 - Sault Ste. Marie Greyhounds

1991-92 - Kamloops Blazers

1990-91 - Spokane Chiefs

1989-90 - Oshawa Generals

1999-89 - Swift Current Broncos

1987-88 - Medicine Hat Tigers

Saskatoon sees economic boost from tournament

Tourism Saskatoon is estimating the Memorial Cup tournament will have brought \$11.1 million of net economic benefit to the city.

Kent Smith-Windsor, executive director with the Greater Saskatoon Chamber of Commerce, said the City of Saskatoon has seen a number of positives as a result of hosting the tournament.

"Events of this nature that are national — and in this case modestly international in scope ... have a positive impact in promoting Saskatoon as a venue and as a place to live, work and invest," said Smith-Windsor.

Alongside promotional and economic benefits, he explained events like the Memorial Cup benefit residents within Saskatoon as

Business has picked up

\$11.1M

The amount Saskatoon has benefitted from the Memorial Cup tournament, as estimated by Tourism Saskatoon

they help build a sense of community.

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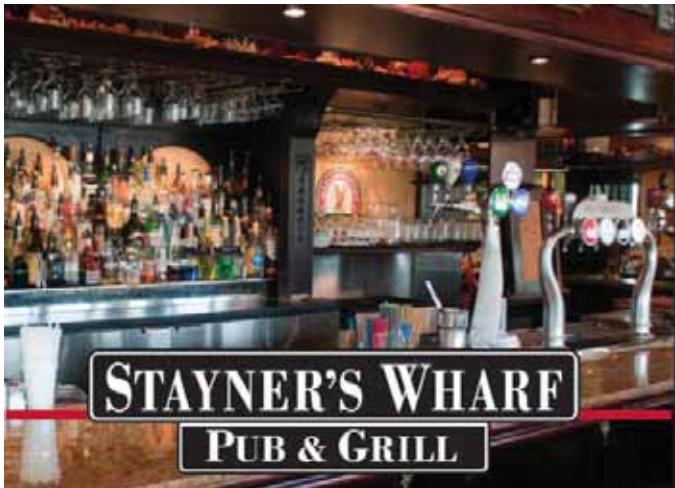
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T.J. Grant makes major statement, lands UFC title shot

UFC 160. Cole Harbour fighter wastes little time putting Maynard away in Las Vegas

 **PHILIP CROUCHER**
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It was T.J. Grant's biggest victory, and it was decisive.

The 29-year-old Cole Harbour mixed martial artist defeated Gray Maynard in the first round by knockout at UFC 160 in Las Vegas to become the No. 1 contender for the lightweight title.

Both fighters knew what was at stake going into the three-round bout and Grant — ranked seventh in the division — ended it quickly. He dropped



T.J. Grant's next fight will be for the lightweight title against Benson Henderson. THE CANADIAN PRESS FILE

the veteran Maynard with a straight-right hand at the end of a one-two combination, then followed up with a barrage of punches before the fight was stopped just 2:07 in.

"I've been working that exact combo, and it was just beautiful," Grant said. "I practised that for like the last eight

weeks straight, and it worked. ... Gray is not a guy I wanted to go to the ground with, and I saw he didn't move his feet too well, so I knew there were openings."

With the win, Grant improves to 21-5 and is 5-0 since moving to lightweight. He also won knockout of the night and the \$50,000 bonus.

Maynard, who went into the fight ranked No. 3 amongst UFC lightweights, fell to 12-2-1.

A date hasn't been set for the Grant-Benson Henderson fight but the rumour on mmafighting.com is that it could take place The UFC on FOX Sports 1 show scheduled for Aug. 17 in Boston.

"I want to fight Benson Henderson for the title. Nothing but respect but hey I want to fight the champ. I want to be the champ. Let's do it," Grant said.



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Rekindled Heat smoke Indy

LeBron James of the Miami Heat shoots over Paul George of the Indiana Pacers during Game 3 of the Eastern Conference Finals in Indianapolis. James scored 22 points and the Heat rediscovered their offensive punch, routing the Pacers 114-96 on Sunday night to take a 2-1 lead in the series. GREGORY SHAMUS/GETTY IMAGES

NHL playoffs

Sharks force Game 7 in Calif faceoff

Joe Thornton got San Jose off to a fast start with a power-play goal in the first period and TJ Galiardi added a goal in the second to help the Sharks force a decisive seventh game with a 2-1 victory over the defending Stanley Cup champion Los Angeles Kings on Sunday night.

Antti Niemi made 24 saves as the Sharks matched Los Angeles' three home wins in this series with a third of their own. San Jose won all three games by 2-1 scores.

Game 7 is Tuesday night in Los Angeles. While the Kings seemingly have the advantage of home ice that has been so paramount to this series, road teams in NHL history are 8-8 in seventh games of series where the home team has won the first six games, according to STATS LLC.

Dustin Brown scored the lone goal for Los Angeles and Jonathan Quick made 24 saves. The Kings have lost 11 of 12 road games but have been unbeatable at home.

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NHL playoffs. Sid, Pens happy to have brief respite

Cleared to play without a face guard for the first time since returning from a broken jaw, Sidney Crosby said he'll need a few days to adjust.

It appears he'll get just that. Crosby wore a traditional helmet with no jaw protection during the Pittsburgh Penguins' practice Sunday. Crosby figures to have at least a couple more practices before he plays in a game.

The schedule for the Eastern Conference final against the Boston Bruins has yet to be released. The Penguins will end up with four or more days' rest after wrapping their series with

IndyCar

Kanaan wins long-overdue Indy 500

The hard-luck loser no more, Tony Kanaan finally won the Indianapolis 500 Sunday — with a bit of luck, at that.

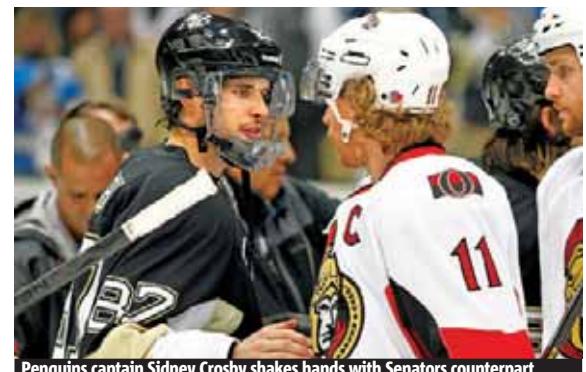
In the mix all day during a record 68 lead changes, Kanaan dipped inside defending IndyCar champion Ryan Hunter-Reay on a restart with three laps to go.

From there, he cruised to Victory Lane under the yellow caution flag, flipping up his visor to wipe tears from his eyes as the crowd roared.

"I have to say, the last lap was the longest lap of my life," the popular Brazilian said.

"I got a little bit of luck today," said Kanaan, drenched in the celebratory milk. "I was looking at the stands, and it was unbelievable, I'm speechless. This is it, man. I made it.... I believed that this win was more for people out there than for me."

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Penguins captain Sidney Crosby shakes hands with Senators counterpart Daniel Alfredsson after Pittsburgh's 6-2, series-clinching win in Game 5 of the Eastern Conference semifinal on Friday night. JUSTIN K. ALLER/GETTY IMAGES

Horoscopes

Aries

March 21 - April 20

Don't waste time on petty arguments today, or at any stage throughout the coming week. What other people say and do is completely irrelevant to what you have got planned.

Taurus

April 21 - May 21

It would appear that some of the people you now have to deal with are more interested in having a good time than discussing important issues. That's their choice to make – but you can choose to get new partners too.

Gemini

May 22 - June 21

It may be your time of year and most things may be going right for you but don't let your guard down. Saturn suggests a rival is angling for ways to make themselves look good at your expense.

Cancer

June 22 - July 23

If you make a blunder of some sort today you must own up to it immediately. There are far more important things you will need to worry about later in the week.

Leo

July 24 - Aug. 23

For some reason you appear to believe that others are out to get you. Why should that be? You're such a likeable Leo. Rest assured it's not in the least bit true.

Virgo

Aug. 24 - Sept. 23

Different people see things in different ways and if you keep that thought in mind today you won't go far wrong. There is really no need to get worked up about petty differences.

Libra

Sept. 24 - Oct. 23

Don't get disheartened if you have fallen behind in your work schedule. There is still plenty of time to get done what has to be done and panicking won't make it easier.

Scorpio

Oct. 24 - Nov. 22

Try to get friendly with someone you think of as a rival, maybe even an enemy. It could well be that they are not nearly as nasty as you think they are.

Sagittarius

Nov. 23 - Dec. 21

You know how to say the right thing at the right time and today you can charm the birds from the trees. One person in particular will be so enthralled that an offer is likely to follow.

Capricorn

Dec. 22 - Jan. 20

Let your hair down a little today. You may have important tasks to complete but you know they can wait. Nothing is so important that it cannot be put off until tomorrow – though tomorrow they MUST get done.

Aquarius

Jan. 21 - Feb. 19

Any ideas or insights you get over the next 24 hours are likely to be important, so don't dismiss them as wild imaginings. What you think about in the present is what you will be doing in the future.

Pisces

Feb. 20 - March 20

Identify your priorities and focus on them to the exclusion of everything else. The more others try to tempt you to do something else the more you must resist. **SALLY BROMPTON**

Crossword: Canada Across and Down

Across

- Pulled tightly
- Becomes beyond betrothed
- "__ It": 1980 hit for Devo
- Shoe prop, __ support
- Water blue
- Ms. Davis of TV/ movies
- Dorothy of Oz's surname
- Corey Hart hit: "__ at Night"
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- "Hmmm... let me mull it over." 2 wds.
- Young horses
- Wheat: French
- Popular 1960s record label
- Julia Louis-__ of "Seinfeld"
- Addict
- Come into sight
- Ms. Gasteyer of ABC comedy "Suburb-gatory"
- Preps for painting, as a chair
- Tree type
- Fabric measurements
- Nickname of a President
- __ Brook, Newfoundland
- Does well, as on an exam
- CRT = __ ray tube
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Down

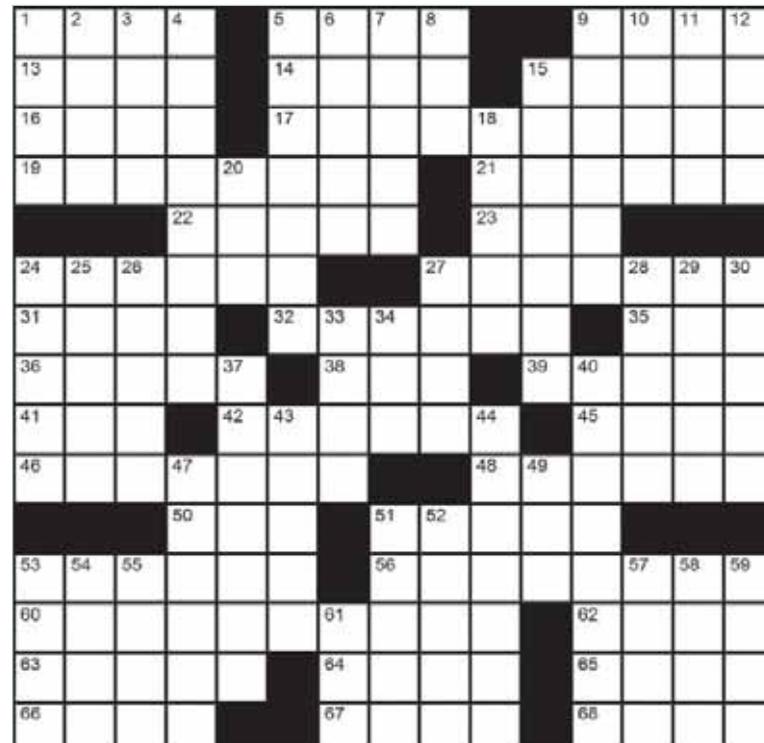
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- Taking away
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- Shakespeare, The Bard of __
- Paddled
- Get wind of
- Pro __
- Bound
- Shakespeare's __ Well That Ends Well
- Acknowledged

Down

- Labels

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2. Smell __ (Be suspicious)

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5. Regina's __ Creek

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7. Big name in Canadian smoked meat

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61. '80s band from Norway

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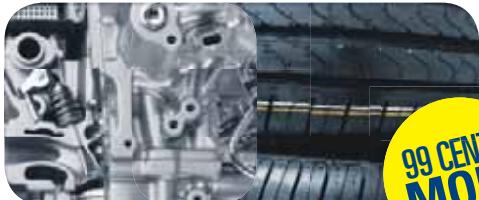
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